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TAGS: PINS, PINT, LE

SUBJECT: PRIMIN KARAME ON NEED OF SYRIAN FORCES TO MAINTAIN  
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1. PRIMIN KARAME PASSED ON MESSAGE TO US THROUGH WELL-KNOWN AND RELIABLE CONFIDANT THAT HE HAD GRAVE DOUBTS ABOUT WORKABILITY OF LATEST CEASEFIRE AGREEMENT DESPITE A MAJOR PERSONAL EFFORT ON HIS PART TO GET THE SUPERVISORY COMMISSION OPERABLE. KARAME DOES NOT BELIEVE ARAFAT CAN CONTROL REJECTIONISTS, WHO SO FAR HAVE REFUSED TO COOPERATE. MOREOVER, THE RIGHT HAS TOLD HIM, HE CLAIMS, THAT THEY WILL NOT ALLOW PALESTINIANS, EVEN SAIQA, TO PATROL IN THEIR TERRITORY. ONLY SYRIAN TROOPS WERE ACCEPTABLE FOR THIS JOB.

2. BECAUSE OF ABOVE SITUATION KARAME WANTED AGAIN TO URGE A MORE SYMPATHETIC U.S. ATTITUDE REGARDING THE ENTRY OF A SUFFICIENT  
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AMOUNT OF SYRIAN FORCES TO ASSURE THE MAINTENANCE OF INTERNAL

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